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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDER, North Atlantic Division (CENAD-PSD-P)

Subject: Implementation Guidance for Section 3139 of the Water Resources Development Act of 2007 (WRDA 2007) – Delaware River, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware, Philadelphia to the Sea.

- 1. Section 3139 of WRDA 2007 provides discretionary authority to the Secretary to remove debris from the project for navigation, Delaware River, Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware, Philadelphia to the Sea. A copy of Section 3139 is enclosed.
- 2. The Philadelphia District may use operations and maintenance (O&M) funds to prepare an initial appraisal or reconnaissance report on the Delaware River, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware, Philadelphia to the Sea project. If, as a result of the initial appraisal, it is determined that additional study is warranted, a new start feasibility study may be considered through the normal budgetary process.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

Encl

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